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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated May 12, 1999, applicant hereby amends the above-identified patent application as follows:

In The Claims

Please amend claims 27, 28, 56, and 57 as follows:

1 27. (Amended) A portable, hand-held dispenser that allows a [bank customer] user to request and dispense [a] negotiable instruments, said portable, hand-held dispenser comprising:

A1 a [radio frequency transceiver] wireless receiver that [is capable of receiving] receives dispensing information for [the] a particular negotiable instrument from [a bank] an authorizing computer [through a wireless communication link];

a microprocessor that is [connected] coupled to said [radio frequency transceiver] wireless receiver, that receives said dispensing information from said [radio

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